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Mr. Gordon Cavanaugh Administrator Farmers Home Administration Room 5420 South Building 14th and Independence Avenue Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. Cavanaugh:

The Bureau of Mines recently completed a reorganization which in a minor sense alters the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) of May 3, 1978, between our two agencies.

It would seem to us that a revision of Section VI. Liaison in the form of an amendment would bring the MOU into technical conformance. The suggested amendment is as follows:

Section VI. <u>Liaison</u> - Strike first paragraph and substitute this new paragraph:

The Chiefs of Field Operations Centers at the Bureau of Mines regional level and the Office of the Director—Division of Field Operations at the headquarters level are to have the responsibility of implementing this agreement. See revised Appendix A for the information related to Field Operations Centers Chief's names, office addresses, and State or States responsibilities.

Our interest in making the technical capabilities of the Bureau of Mines available continues. If this manner of handling Section VI is agreeable to you, please sign and return duplicate copy of this letter.

Accepted:

Sincerely yours,

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Assistant Director

Attachment

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